Under the tion Act of 1995

PTO/SB/17 (12-04) Approved for use through 07/31/2006. OMB 0651-0032
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

ersons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMR control number

Effective Bell 2/8 ations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818).

MADE MAN TRANSMITTAI For FY 2005

Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

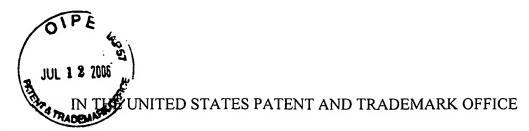
TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$) 180.00

Complete if Known				
Application Number	10/625,915			
Filing Date	July 23, 2003			
First Named Inventor	Andrew W. Phelps			
Examiner Name	Lois Zheng			
Art Unit	1742			
Attorney Docket No.	UVD 0280 IA/UD 268			

METHOD OF PAYMENT (check all that apply)							
Check Credit Card Money Order None Other (please identify):							
Deposit Account	Deposit Accour	nt Number:		Deposit A	Account Name:		
For the above-ident	ified deposit	account, the D	irector is hereby	authorized to	o: (check all th	at apply)	
Charge fee(s) indicated b	elow		Char	ae fee(s) indic	ated below exce	ept for the filing fee
	•		ments of fee(s)	\equiv	• , ,		peror and ming loo
under 37 CF WARNING: Information on thi	R 1.16 and 1	.17	, , ,		lit any overpay		
information and authorization			reall cara inform	ation should i	not be included	on this form. Prov	vide credit card
FEE CALCULATION							
1. BASIC FILING, SEA	RCH, AND	EXAMINATION	ON FEES				
	FILING	FEES Small Entity	SEARCH			TION FEES	
Application Type	Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	mall Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	mall Entity Fee (\$)	Fees Paid (\$)
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	
2. EXCESS CLAIM FEE	ES						Small Entity
Fee Description Each claim over 20 or, for	ar Reissues	each claim	over 20 and m	ore than in t	the original r	atent	Fee (\$) Fee (\$) 50 25
Each independent claim							
Multiple dependent clair		,					360 180
Total Claims	Extra Claim		Fee Paid	1 (\$)		pendent Claims	-
- 20 or HP = HP = highest number of total			<u> </u>		<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Fee Pai</u>	<u>id (\$)</u>
	Extra Claim			(\$)		_	
-3 or HP =			=				
HP = highest number of independent claims paid for, if greater than 3 3. APPLICATION SIZE FEE							
If the specification and drawings exceed 100 sheets of paper, the application size fee due is \$250 (\$125 for small entity)							
for each additional 50 sheets or fraction thereof. See 35 U.S.C. 41(a)(1)(G) and 37 CFR 1.16(s).							
Total Sheets							
4. OTHER FEE(S) Non-English Specification, \$130 fee (no small entity discount)							
							
Other: Supplemental	Informatio	n Disclosure	Statement				180.00

SUBMITTED BY Registration No. Telephone (937) 449-6400 Signature 33,758 (Attorney/Agent) Name (Print/Type) Patricia L. Prior Date 07/10/2006

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.136. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 30 minutes to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.



Application of

Applicant(s) : Phelps et al. Serial No. : 10/625,915

Filed : July 23, 2003

Title : NON-TOXIC CORROSION-PROTECTION CONVERSION COATS

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on July 10, 2006.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents. P.O. Bx

BASED ON RARE EARTH ELEMENTS

Docket : UVD 0280 IA/UD 268

Examiner : Lois L. Zheng

Art Unit : 1742

Confirm. No. : 3052

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR §§ 1.56, 1.97, AND 1.98

Applicants submit herewith patents, publications, and other information of which they are aware, which they believe may be material, as defined in 37 CFR §1.56(b), to the examination of this application and in respect of which there may be a duty to disclose in accordance with 37 CFR §1.56(a). While the information referred to in this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement may be material pursuant to 37 CFR §1.56(b), the filing of this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is not intended to, pursuant to 37 CFR §1.97(h), constitute an admission that any patent, publication, or other information referred to is, or is considered to be, material to the patentability of this invention. No representation is made that a reference is "prior art" within the meaning of 35 USC §§102 and 103, and Applicants reserve the right, pursuant to 37 CFR §1.131 or otherwise, to establish otherwise. Further, pursuant to 37 CFR §1.97(g), the filing of this Statement should not be construed as a statement that a search has been made or that no other material information exists.

07/12/2006 AKELECH1 00000041 10625915

180.00 OP

01 FC:1806

Serial No. 10/625,915 Docket UVD 0280 IA/UD 268

The Office has waived the requirement pursuant to 37 CFR §1.98 (a)(2)(i) for submitting a copy of each cited U.S. patent and each U.S. patent application publication for all U.S. national patent applications filed after June 30, 2003 and for all international applications that have entered the national stage under 35 USC §371 after June 30, 2003. Therefore, no copies of each cited U.S. patent and each cited U.S. patent application publication are enclosed, but the cited U.S. patents and the cited U.S. patent application publications are listed on PTO/SB/08A.

The Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is filed after the period set forth in §1.97(b), but before the mailing date of a final action under §1.113 or a notice of allowance, whichever occurs first.

The Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is accompanied by a check in the amount of \$ 180.00 in payment of the required fee set forth in 37 CFR §1.17(p).

> Respectfully submitted, DINSMORE & SHOHL LLP

Patricia L. Prior

Registration No. 33,758

One Dayton Centre One South Main Street, Suite 1300 Dayton, Ohio 45402-2023

Telephone: (937) 449-6400

Facsimile: (937) 449-6405

PLP/AMM

Encl.

PTO/SB/08A (07-05)

Approved for use through 07/31/2006. OMB 0651-0031

U.S. Patent and Trademark Office; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it contains a valid OMB control number.

Sheet

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT

(Use as many sheets as necessary)

Complete if Known			
Application Number	10/625,915		
Filing Date	July 23, 2003		
First Named Inventor	Phelps et al		
Art Unit	1742		
Examiner Name	Lois Zheng		
Attorney Docket Number	UVD 0280 IA/UD 268		

			U. S. PATEN	T DOCUMENTS	
Initials* No.1		Document Number Number-Kind Code ^{2 (# known)}	Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear
		US-1,078,788	11-18-1913	Kaplan	
_		US-1,216,451	02-20-1917	Holmes	
		US-3,055,833	09-25-1962	Baltzer	
	ļ. —	US-3,615,810	10-26-1971	Holznagel et al	
		US-3,879,523	04-22-1975	Miyata et al	
	ļ	US-4,024,036	05-17-1977	Nakamura et al	
	<u> </u>	US-4,469,521	09-04-1984	Salensky	
		US-5,672,329	09-30-1997	Okada et al	
		US-2004/0104377	06-03-2004	Phelps et al	
		US-2003/0234063	12-25-2003	Sturgill et al	
		US-2003/0230363	12-18-2003	Sturgill et al	
		US-2004/0016910	01-29-2004	Phelps et al	
		US-2004/0231754	11-25-2004	Phelps et al	
		US-2003/0221590	12-04-2003	Sturgill et al	
		US-2004/0011252	01-22-2004	Sturgill et al	
1- 1-4		US-			
		US-			
,,		US-			

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS						
Examiner Initials*	Cite No.	Foreign Patent Document	Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages Or Relevant Figures Appear	T ⁶
	ļ	Country Code ³ Number ⁴ Kind Code ⁵ (if known)	111111		O. Molotani, Ingaloo Appel	1
						$\lceil \rceil$

Examiner	Date	
Signature	Considered	

EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant. ¹Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). ²See Kinds Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at www.uspto.gov or MPEP 901.04. ³ Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). ⁴ For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. Skind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST.16 if possible. Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 2 hours to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.